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Dear Sir:

Supplemental to the Response filed 09/11/02, and further responsive to the Office Action dated 06/11/02, Applicants submit a new DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY in lieu of the earlier DECLARATION filed 09/11/00.

The present application represents a continuation-in-part application of Ser. No. 09/025,976, filed 02/19/98, now US Pat. No. 6,291,008. The DECLARATION filed 09/22/00 failed to claim the benefit under 35 USC 120 of Ser. No. 09/025,976.

Applicants respectfully request that this new correct DECLARATION be made of record and considered in the prosecution of this application.

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